

# Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 11.

**CHILD STEALING IN FRANCE.**—The race of enchanteries is as common as the air in those joyous days when Gavarni limited them, but so is the forbearance of the French people, whose kindness to children is their great redeeming quality. So it fell out some time since that all Paris palpitated with excitement when a judge's child was kidnapped in the Tuileries Gardens, and carried off and concealed in the country by a girl who presented the babe to her lover in the hope that he would marry her. Another child, the son of wealthy parents, has been enticed from his home by a foul witch Syreox, who lived with her daughter in grim repose in the navel of the hideous wood.

They carried off the poor child for the mere gratification of their cruel instinct. They set a dog at him, which tore his flesh with sharp fangs; stuffed wood in his mouth to stifle his cries, and after keeping him concealed for some days in their lair they laid him down in the depths of the forest to die. His moans were fortunately overheard by some woodcutters, and this strange tale of human perversity was revealed. One of the bags is sentenced to six years' hard labor, and her accomplices, who were acquitted, left the court showering curses on all around her.

## CANDIDATES.

**IN RESPONSE TO A PARAGRAPH IN THE** Gazette asking the use of my name as a candidate for election as Commonwealth's Attorney, I would say that the office in question would be a most acceptable one to me. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for that position, subject to the decision of the primary election, and earnestly ask my friends for their support. Respectfully, C. F. MARKELL.

**TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY.**—Having been solicited by my friends to do so, I announce myself as a candidate for the office of Auditor of the city, subject to the decision of the Commonwealth's primary election. (Feb 20 62) E. H. O'BRIEN.

**TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA.**—At the request of some of my friends and fellow-citizens, I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the position of Commonwealth's Attorney of the city of Alexandria. This announcement is made subject to the action of a nominating convention or primary election of the conservative party. If I am re-elected to the office I shall devote my time, energy and ability to the discharge of the legitimate duties pertaining to it. mr 1-2w JOHN M. JOHNSON.

**SOFT BAR LEAD, TIMMAN'S SOLDER** &c., &c., At 88 King street, corner of Royal.

Just received and in store a large supply of Bar Lead and Solder which will be sold in any quantity to suit. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

**WINDOW GLASS, Putty, Varnishes, Dye** Woods, Grass Seeds, Toilet Soap, Toilet Soap, Cold Cream, Camphor Ice, Rose Lip Salve and Seaman's Prepared Dyes, for sale by feb 20 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

**THE FAMOUS REBEYLI PIGS** in layers, fine Turkish do, in 5 lb boxes, and best Klene do, in 3 lb boxes, just received. dec 11 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**MOCHA, Java, LeGauya and Rio Coffee**, purchased at the late decline, for sale at lowest market rates by feb 25 J. C. & E. MILBURN, 19 N. Royal st.

**TRY HILL & CO'S CUT ORANGE, BON** BON & LINDSAY CAKES. Best tea cake ever offered to the family trade. For sale by feb 25 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**SMALL SUGAR CURED HAMS** AND SHOULDERS received to-day for sale very low by jan 17 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**SILK VELVET FRAMES**, for card and cabinet size pictures, for sale by feb 1 FERGUSON & BRO., 96 King street.

**FANCY CHINA**, just received and for sale low. We advise our friends and the public to call and carefully examine the stock. nov 30 E. J. MILLER & CO, 65 King st.

**DOORS, SASHES, BLINDS** and all kinds of Building Materials. Prices reduced at PEAKE & NALLS, cor King and Columbus sts.

**CALIFORNIA BONELESS HAMS**, Maryland Sugar cured Hams, Shoulders and Breakfast Pieces, choice, just received by feb 25 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**WALNUT CENTRE TABLES**, Towel Racks, Book Shelves and Brush and Comb Cases at \$1 each. feb 13 FERGUSON & BRO'S, 96 King st.

**POND LILY WASH**, a most delicate preparation for the toilet and bath. In large bottles at 25c each. feb 13 JANNY & CO., 145 King st.

**CORKS**—Bottle Corks; also Corks for Oyster Cans, &c., of all sizes, with CEMENT for sale by nov 29 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

**A FULL LINE OF CHOICE COFFEES**—rec'd to-day—and for sale cheap by feb 6 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

**A GENERAL REDUCTION IN GROCERIES.** feb 25 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**PRIME DRIED APPLES AND PEACHES** for sale by jan 25 G. WM. RAMSAY.

**ITALIAN MACCARONI**, best quality, just received by jan 16 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**GOLD PAINT, or LIQUID BRONZE**, for ornamental painting, for sale by jan 30 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

**85 BARRELS OF FAMILY AND EXTRA FLOUR** for sale at lowest market rates by (Feb 19) G. WM. RAMSAY.

**TEA**—We have just received an invoice of New Teas, of very choice quality. jan 22 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**NEW CROP CAROLINA RICE** just received by dec 4 G. WM. RAMSAY.

**CHOICE SYRUP**—very bright and NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, just received by feb 7 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES**, new crop, received to-day and for sale low by jan 17 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

**STARO—Kingsford's and Duryea's Satin** Glass—Kingsford for sale by jan 28 DAVY & HARMON.

**250 LBS FRESH ROLL BUTTER** just received by dec 19 DAVY & HARMON.

**LAWN GRASS SEED**, English mixed, just received by feb 26 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

**FINE GUNPOWDER TEA** at reasonable rates by jan 17 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**NEW TURKISH PRUNES** just received and for sale cheap by feb 4 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**POTATOES! POTATOES!** One carload of Early Rose Potatoes received this day by jan 30 W. A. JOHNSON.

**GENUINE NEW YORK BUTTER** of fine quality, just received by feb 19 G. WM. RAMSAY.

**A FULL LINE OF HARDWARE**, for sale cheap, by feb 26 PEAKE & NALLS, cor. King and Columbus sts.

**YARMOUTH BLOATERS** and SCOTCH HERRING for sale cheap by jan 14 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**10 BOXES N. Y. STATE CREAM** CHEESE received and for sale by jan 30 W. A. JOHNSON.

## BOOTS AND SHOES.

### LOOK! LOOK!

### LOOK!

IN ORDER TO REDUCE STOCK, WE WILL CLOSE OUT OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF

## FALL AND WINTER

## BOOTS & SHOES

### AT COST

### FOR 30 DAYS!

ALL IN WANT WILL DO WELL

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## W.B. WADDEY'S

110 KING STREET.

jan 16 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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#### PRICES REDUCED.

I am now putting up SETS OF TEETH AT GREATLY REDUCED RATES. Full sets from \$10 to \$15. Partial sets in proportion. Satisfaction guaranteed. Where sets are to be put in no charge will be made for extracting.

DR. FAWCETT, Dentist, aug 10-1f No. 91 N. Wash. st., Alexra., Va.

H. O. CLAUUGHTON, CHARLES E. STUART, CLAUUGHTON & STUART.

**ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW.** No. 28 SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Practice in the Courts of Alexandria, and the adjoining counties, and in the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia. sep 25

### FURNITURE, &c.

JAS. F. MUIR, JOHN A. MUIR, JAS. F. MUIR & BROTHER, [Successors to Wm. H. Muir & Son,] Manufacturers of and Dealers in

## FURNITURE,

141 and 143 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

A large and fine stock always on hand. jy 31

## JAMES H. DEVAUGHN

MANUFACTURER AND

## DEALER IN FURNITURE,

No. 130 King street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

LOOKING GLASSES, HAIR, COTTON TOP, AND HUSB MATRESSES, kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices.

In order to secure prompt attention orders should be addressed to JAMES H. DEVAUGHN, No. 130 King street. my 18-1f

STEPHEN A. GREEN, JAMES E. GREEN, GREEN & BRO'S STEAM

## Furniture Works and Saw Mill

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE FURNITURE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at as low prices as possible; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING in our line.

Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture, Walnut, Popular, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs. feb 8-1f

**WINDSOR COFFEE POTS**—We have just received another supply of the celebrated Windsor Coffee Pots to meet the increased demand. All who have tried them acknowledge they are the best. feb 4 MCLEAN & UHLER, 107 King street.

**1000 LBS CHOICE PENNSYLVANIA BUCKWHEAT** in store and for sale by jan 30 W. A. JOHNSON.

**ONE HHD PRIME N. O. SUGAR** received this day, January 25th, and for sale very low by jan 25 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

**GENUINE GOVERNMENT JAVA COFFEE**, bought direct from vessel and has not been in warehouse, just received by jan 24 G. WM. RAMSAY.

**WENGER'S** and other grades of choice FLOUR for sale at feb 21 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**25 BBL'S NEW LARGE SPLIT HERRING** in store and for sale low by dec 21 W. A. JOHNSON.

**TABLE and COOKING BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE, DRIED BEEF, &c.,** at J. C. & E. MILBURN'S.

**CHOICE TABLE BUTTER** (Glades) rec'd to-day by nov 29 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**CANTON PRESERVED GINGER**, in 5 lb jars, for sale by dec 5 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**BARTLETT'S PEARL BLUE** and Blacking for sale by jan 29 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**BONELESS COD and YARMOUTH BLOATERS**—GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**CRANBERRIES**—A choice lot of New Jersey Cranberries for sale by feb 1 DAVY & HARMON.

**PEELED PEACHES**—2 bbls choice Dried Peaches, very light color, for sale by jan 3 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**TOMATOES**, "Peerless" brand, 2 and 3 lb cans, for sale by jan 28 DAVY & HARMON.

**SOAP POWDERS**—Babbitt's Soap Powders for sale by jan 28 DAVY & HARMON.

**ONE (1) HHD NEW ORLEANS SUGAR** just received by jan 24 G. WM. RAMSAY.

## COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

DAVY & HARMON, GROCERS, FEED AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, CORNER PRINCE AND ROYAL STS., feb 1 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

I would inform my friends and the public generally that I have this day made a business connection with the well known firm of HARLOW BROS., Grocers, Liquor, Feed and General Commission Merchants, N. W. corner Cameron and Royal streets, and would solicit a share of their patronage. sep 29-1f F. G. SWAINE.

F. G. SWAINE, WITH

HARLOW BROS., GROCERS, LIQUOR, FEED, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, N. W. CORNER CAMERON AND ROYAL STS. Liberal advances made on all consignments in store. sep 29-1f

THOMAS PERRY, Agent, GENERAL, COMMISSION MERCHANT,

No. 17 King street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Agent for the sale of

ISAAC WENGER'S CELEBRATED FAMILY FLOUR.

jan 18-1f

PHILIP B. HOOK, NO. 2 PRINCE STREET GENERAL

COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANT Dealer in all kinds of FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER

Agent of the LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. feb 5-1f

J. C. & E. MILBURN, Wholesale and Retail

GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space, Alexandria, Virginia.

Orders and consignments solicited. They will receive careful and prompt attention. jy 2

R. B. LAWSON & CO., [Successors to R. M. Lawson,] GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS, No. 97 Canal street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

aug 8 GEO. WASHINGTON, B. J. WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON & BROTHER COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 20 UNION STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all kinds of Country Produce solicited. Special attention given to all business entrusted to them. Prompt returns made. ap 24

W. A. SMOOT, DEALER IN COAL, SALT AND PLASTER, SMOOT'S WHARF, (Foot of Princess st.) Alexandria, Virginia. feb 21-1f

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c. Established 1792.

EDWARD S. LEADBEATER, THOS. LEADBEATER, E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO., Nos. 5 and 7 S. Fairfax st., DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, PROPRIETARY MEDICINES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS, FINE TOILET GOODS, &c., &c.

Proprietors of Anodyne Pectoral, Lubricating Liniment, Essence Jamaica Ginger and Cough Syrup, and Agents for Ayer's Medicines, Ayer's Chemical Paints, &c. Every effort will be made to maintain the high reputation of our old establishment. dec 19

SAMUEL H. JANNEY, MAHLON H. JANNEY, A. A. WARFIELD, C. J. W. SUMMERS, JANNEY & CO., DEALERS IN DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, PERFUMERIES, ACIDS, SPICES, GARDEN SEEDS, PATENT MEDICINES AND WINDOW GLASS.

Nos. 79 and 145 King street, Alexandria, Va. Physicians' Prescriptions accurately compounded day or night at No. 79. Night bell at the King street door. Orders and inquiries from the country promptly attended to at No. 145. oct 9-1f

**NOTICE**—Having purchased the stock and good will of the DRUG STORE formerly occupied by Mr. C. B. Grigg, at the northwest corner of King and Royal streets, we have thoroughly refitted and renovated the same, and supplied it with a FIRST CLASS STOCK of everything pertaining to the DRUG BUSINESS, and propose to carry it on as a branch of our establishment at No. 145 King street. The branch store will be under the charge of Mr. C. J. W. SUMMERS, whom we have associated with us in business, and who will be prepared to compound Physicians' Prescriptions, or dispense medicines at any hour of the day or night. Night bell at the King street door. oct 9-1f JANNEY & CO.

**WARFIELD & HALL, DRUGGISTS** COR. PRINCE & FAIRFAX STS. Prescriptions a specialty. English, French, German and Domestic Toilet Soaps; Genuine Parina Cologne; Magnolia, Hydromia, Gaurum and Florida Water; Genuine Lubin's Extracts; Sponges, Hair Brushes and Combs; best English Tooth Brushes; a full assortment of Patent Medicines; Cox's Gelatine; Corn Starch; Sea Moss Marine; Spices of all kinds, and a select stock of all articles sold by druggists at prices as low as the same quality can be obtained elsewhere. dec 1

**W. FRANKLIN CREIGHTON** Wholesale and Retail Dealer in DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, GARDEN SEED, &c., &c., &c., No. 55 King street, (under Saxonia Hall), Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention. feb 24-1f

**TO THE TRADE.** JOHN A. FIELD, 71 King street, Is Agent for ALLEN & CO'S RICHMOND GEM CIGARETTES and other goods; also FELNGER'S & SON'S HERB DE LA REIM CIGARETTES. Will sell them at FACTORY PRICES. Call in and see for yourself. sep 22

**GEORGE R. HILL & CO., STEAM CRACKER & CAKE BAKERS** 35 NORTH LEE STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

2 HHD'S SHOULDER BACON, purchased at the recent decline, for sale low by jan 29 W. A. JOHNSON.

**BEEF STEAK TOMATOES**, the best in the market, very cheap. jan 16 MCBURNEY & SON.

**CHAMPAGNE CIDER**—A prime article received and for sale low by feb 2 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

**DRIED SUGAR CORN**—One barrel Dried Sugar Corn, choice quality, just rec'd. by feb 6 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**NEW YORK GILT EDGED BUTTER** A choice lot just received by feb 4 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**CROSS & BLACKWELL'S CHOW CHOW** just received and for sale cheap by jan 16 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

## GROCERIES, FISH, BACON, &c.

We have on hand a good supply of all kinds of FISH, which we will offer for cost or less during the next ten days, consisting of Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, Kit Mackerel, Net Potomac Herring, Mess Shad and No. 1 Potomac Herring. We have also on hand about 20,000 pounds of CHOICE FAMILY BACON, of my own curing, which we are going to sell at very reduced rates, together with a good supply of FAMILY GROCERIES. All persons wanting choice Bacon will do well to give us a call, and examine our stock. S. J. REED, No. 74 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia.

J. BRODERS & CO., Wholesale Dealers and Jobbers in GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR, SALT AND FISH.

A full line of celebrated pure, old Whiskeys, Brandy, Gin, Rum, &c., Messy & Co's Philadelphia and Clagett's Baltimore Ales, and Berger & Engel's Lager Beer, in casks or bottles. Agents for James S. Welch's Best Family Flour, James S. Kirk & Co's. Standard Soaps, Dupont & Co's. Sporting and Blasting Gunpowder, and Baltimore and Potomac River Steamer.

Orders promptly attended to, and consignments solicited. No. 11 King street, oct 26-1f Alexandria, Va.

W. A. JOHNSON, Wholesale and Retail GROCER & COMMISSION MERCHANT, AND DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.

Also Agent for Arlington Brewery and Laffland & Band's Powder Co. Consignments of Grain, Flour and all kinds of Country Produce solicited. Liberal advances made on consignments in store. oct 8 N. E. Cor. Cam. and Royal sts.

G. GEORGE R. HILL & CO'S, CAREFUL MANUFACTURES. OUR NEW GOODS.

ALMOND—Fancy Nut Flavored. COCOANUT—Rich Fine Drop Top Coated. PRESIDENT—Ice Cream, soft light flavor. PRINCESS—Ice Cream, soft light flavor. SEASIDE—For light summer luncheon. TOURIST—Sweet Hard Biscuit, figured top. BISMARK—German Biscuit, Caraway flavor. SARATOGA—Crimp edge, Mace flavor. These fancy goods are furnished the trade in assorted or straight packages, attractively put up for retail. They are not kept in stock. No tin cans used, consequently they are always fresh and in high flavor. We respectfully solicit an examination of these goods. my 19 GEORGE R. HILL & CO., Alexandria, Va.

R. W. AVERY, Dealer in CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINE LIQUORS, &c., &c., 226 King st., cor. Alfred, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS! NEW PRICES! The subscriber respectfully announces that he has taken the store, No. 147 KING STREET, and is prepared to offer a full and carefully selected stock of FINE FAMILY GROCERIES at prices which cannot fail to please. Goods delivered promptly to all parts of the city, and satisfaction guaranteed in every particular. An inspection of stock solicited. my 5-1f F. J. DAVIDSON.

GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON, Dealers in CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINE LIQUORS, &c., &c., ENGLISH AND SCOTCH ALE AND BROWN STOUT. Also, EASTERN AND POTOMAC HERRING AND MACKEREL. NOS. 166 AND 170 KING STREET, (Washington Hall Building), Alexandria, Va. Orders promptly filled. oct 31-1f

WM. RAMSAY, WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER, AND—AND—TEA DEALER S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS. nov 22-1f Alexandria, Va.

MACHINISTS, &c. Alexandria Iron & Brass Works JAMIESON & COLLINS, Proprietors.

Corner of Royal and Wilkes streets. We are prepared to manufacture Steam Engines, Shafting and all kinds of Machinery; also to furnish Iron and Brass Castings of the best quality and workmanship. Having an unusually large and varied assortment of Patterns, we can furnish Castings at reasonable prices and short notice. ap 14-1f

W. S. MOORE, MACHINIST AND BLACKSMITH, No. 65 Union street, Alexandria, Va. Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of MACHINERY, WROUGHT AND CAST IRON FENCES, &c. Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices that were charged previous to the war. jan 20

PHILIP PARK, PRACTICAL PLUMBER, No. 12 South Fairfax street. The oldest and best established Plumbing establishment in the city. All work done with dispatch, and in the most durable and workmanlike manner. Satisfaction guaranteed. JOHNSON done at short notice, and by him self, or the most experienced workmen. ja 2-

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JNO. A. FIELD, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in CIGARS, PIPES, &c. Flood's, Bob White, Winfree & Lloyd's Pride of Virginia, Hiawatha and other brands at factory prices. Always keeps a large stock in hand. Call and see him, at No. 71 King st. before you buy elsewhere. feb 10

**STEAMERS.** On and after TUESDAY, February 26, the steamers of the Potomac Ferry Company will leave as follows: Leave Alexandria 7.30, 8.50, 10.10 and 11.30 a. m., and 1.15, 2.40, 4.40 and 6.30 p. m. Leave Washington 8.10, 9.30 and 10.50 a. m., and 12.15, 2.20, 4.40 and 6.55 p. m. GEO. R. PHILLIPS, Manager S. GENEY, Gen'l Supt. feb 25-1f

**RESUMPTION OF ROUTE.** On and after THURSDAY, February 14th, 1878, the steamer MATTANO, Captain Wm. H. Byles, will be run as follows: Leave Alexandria EVERY MONDAY and THURSDAY from King street wharf, at 7.30 o'clock a. m., for Landings on the Potomac as far down as Nomini. Leave Nomini EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY MORNING, at 6 o'clock, for Washington, arriving early the same evening. Freight received daily. feb 11 J. BRODERS & CO., Agents.

**INLAND & SEABOARD COASTING CO.**—of the—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. This company offers unrivalled facilities for the transportation of freight and passengers